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SUBJECT: AMBASSADOR'S DISCUSSION WITH ACTING FOREIGN

SECRETARY PETRIC: YUGOSLAV-US RELATIONS

1. IN HIS CALL ON ACTING FONSEC PETRIC MARCH 27 AMBASSADOR BEGAN CONVERSATION BY BRIEF COMMENT ON CURRENT STATE OF US-YUGOSLAV RELATIONS (SEE SEPTTEL FOR DISCUSSION OF ZONE B AND SPECIAL UNGA SESSION.) AMBASSADOR SAID THAT FROM HIS EXTENSIVE TALKS IN WASHINGTON HE COULD REPORT TO PETRIC, AS HE HAD FEW DAYS EARLIER TO DIZDAREVIC (BELGRADE 1359), GENERAL AGREEMENT EXISTED INSIDE USG THAT BOTH GOVERNMENTS SHOULD DO ALL THEY CAN TO CONTINUE THE DIALOGUE AND TO IMPROVE STATE OF OUR BILATERALS. EQUALLY, THERE WAS AGREEMENT THAT FOR SUCH IMPROVEMENT OF RELATIONS EACH SIDE SHOULD BE SENSITIVE TO THE OTHER'S VITAL NATIONAL INTERSTS. AMBASSADOR NOTED THAT THERE APPEARED TO HAVE BEEN AN IMPROVEMENT IN ATMOSPHERE IN OUR RELATIONS SINCE THE FIRST OF THE YEAR; HE HOPED IMPROVEMENT WOULD CONTINUE.

2. PETRIC SAID HE CONCURRED GENERALLY IN USG ASSESSMENT OF OUR BILATERALS. THERE WILL INEVITABLY BE DISAGREEMENTS, HE OBSERVED, BUT THERE WAS NO REASON WHY BOTH SIDES SHOULD

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NOT EXPRESS THESE DISAGREEMENTS OPENLY OR WHY DIFFERENCES

OF VIEW NEED "FRAY" OUR BILATERALS. HE AGREED THAT OUR  
RELATIONS HAVE BEEN IMPROVING.  
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